## GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

PUBLIC SERVICES - Women Development & Child Welfare Department - Disciplinary proceedings initiated against Smt.B.Krishna Kumari, former Project Director, District Women and Child Development Agency, Ongole, Prakasam [now retired] - Further action dropped - Orders - Issued.

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DEPARTMENT FOR WOMEN, CHILDREN, DISABLED & SENIOR CITIZENS [ESTT. - A2]

G.O.Rt.No. 369

Dated 20<sup>th</sup> October, 2012

Read the following:-

- From the Director General [Vig. & Enft.] & Ex.Officio Principal Secretary to Government, General Administration [Vig. & Enft.] Department, Appraisal Note No.167, dated 05-07-2005.
- 2. From the Director of Women Development and Child Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad, Rc.No.7624/Vig.1/2005-1 to 7, dated 13-03-2006.
- 3. Government Memo.No.1989/Estt.A2/2010, dated 08-06-2012.
- 4. From the Director, W.D & C.W., A.P., Hyderabad, Letter No.8914/E3-Legal/2009, dated 01-06-2012

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## ORDER: -

In pursuance of Vigilance and Enforcement Department Appraisal Note 1<sup>st</sup> read above, the Commissioner, Women Development and Child Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad, in his proceedings 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, issued two Articles of Charges to Smt.B.Krishna Kumari, former Project Director, District Women & Child Development Agency, Ongole [now retired] under Rule - 20 of the A.P.Civil Services [CC & A] Rules, 1991, i.e. [i] not properly maintained the important files like budget, expenditure and files relating to sanction orders towards purchases resulting in bad atmosphere of the administration, and [ii] she failed to carry out evaluation of the material supplied to seven new Integrated Child Development Scheme Projects in her jurisdiction and has facilitated and allowed the Contractor to supply cheap quality of material and also without supplying samples to CDPOs and the amounts were drawn and paid to value of goods to the Contractors which has caused a loss of Rs.1,53,140/- to the Government.

- 2. Smt.B.Krishna Kumari, former Project Director, District Women & Child Development Agency, Ongole [now retired], had submitted her explanation to the Articles of Charges, wherein she has stated that the files relating to budget, expenditure and bills were properly maintained during her tenure and if any lapses are noticed by the inspection party during her tenure, the concerned clerks are only responsible. With regard to the charge that cheap quality material were procured she has stated that seven new projects are sanctioned during her period but they were not operationalized during her tenure and no purchases are made for the new projects during the period she worked as Project Director, Ongole, from 06-11-2000 to 20-05-2002 i.e. one year and six months. Since the charged officer has denied the charges, the Commissioner, Women Development and Child Welfare, has appointed the Deputy Director [ICDS] as the Enquiry Officer, vide proceedings dated The Enquiry Officer submitted report and in the findings the Enquiry Officer held that the two charges framed against Smt.B.Krishna Kumari are not proved as the charged officer has given instructions to the staff from time to time on proper maintenance of files, registers, records etc., and that on verification of the record, the material for the seven new I.C.D.S.Projects are not purchased during the tenure of Smt.B.Krishna Kumari i.e. during 2001-2002 and that the material to new projects are purchased during 2003-04 by which period Smt.B.Krishna Kumari is not holding the post of Project Officer, District Women and Child Development Agency, Ongole. The Inquiry Authority has finally held that two charges against Smt.B.Krishna Kumari are not proved on the basis of the documentary evidence and oral evidence adduced in the case.
- 3. Government have examined the matter. Based on the material on record and in the circumstances of the case, Government has decided to drop further action in the disciplinary proceedings initiated against Smt.B.Krishna Kumari, former Project Director, District Women and Child Development Agency, Ongole, Prakasam District [now retired]. Accordingly, further action in the disciplinary proceedings initiated against Smt.B.Krishna Kumari, former Project Director, District Women and Child Development Agency, Ongole, Prakasam District [now retired] is hereby dropped.

The Commissioner, Women Development and Child Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad, shall take necessary further action in the matter, accordingly.

## [BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH]

PUSHPA SUBRAHMANYAM, PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT [I/c].

To

The Commissioner, Women Development and Child Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad. Smt.B.Krishna Kumari, Retired Project Director, D.W & C.D.A., through the Commissioner, W.D & C.W., A.P., Hyderabad.

The Accountant - General, A.P., Hyderabad.

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